

## WEYLER VERY SORRY

Was Recalled From the Human Battue in Cuba.

## HY HE STARVED PEASANTS

Are Set Down by Him as Spies and the Most Devoted Friends of Insurgents—He Is Opposed to Autonomy.

Barcelona, Spain, Nov. 24.—General Weyler, addressing a number of his aids shortly after his arrival here, expressed great regret at his recall from Cuba, adding that he was particularly annoyed at the attitude of certain newspapers which declared he faced the insurgents.

Continuing, the general remarked: "Spanish soldiers, however, have the contempt for these papers as they refer to filibusters."

Referring to the concentration of the peasants near the towns of that island, General Weyler explained that he deemed such a step necessary because they were "spies and the most devoted friends of the enemy."

In regard to autonomy, the former Spanish general of Cuba said: "Autonomy in Cuba would be most unfortunate for national industry. The riches of Cuba belong to Spain, and autonomy and the disappearance of Spanish fishermen and complete misery throughout the island. There is as much reason for Catalonia, the Balearic islands and the other provinces to ask autonomy as Cuba."

## ECHO OF A RIOT.

of Man Depends Upon Proof of Papers Burned.

Cincinnati, Nov. 24.—Application has been made to the probate court for the tutelage of papers of J. G. de Peralta, now under sentence of death in Havana.

Peralta was captured with a party of Cuban insurgents near Havana three weeks ago. The Cubans were shot, but Peralta was given until Dec. 5 to prove his citizenship in the United States. His papers were destroyed in the airship fire, but there is ample evidence to enable the court to send to Secretary Sherman proof of his citizenship. A brother is now living in this city.

It is said Peralta has a heavy claim against the Spanish government for property destroyed in Cuba, and for at least reason they are anxious to execute him.

## HIS TONGUE WAGGED.

a Result the Marquis of Apetegui Is in Bad Odor.

Havana, Nov. 24.—The statements edited to the Marquis of Apetegui, leader of the Conservative party in Cuba, in interviews in New York while on his way from Spain via that city, are producing displeasure among the flowers of the marquis here, particularly his remark to the effect that General Weyler did not deserve the use or criticism he has received, etc. Such allegations, coming from a Conservative leader who is credited with having brought about the recall of General Weyler from Cuba, are resented and are classed as being on a par with the utterances and behavior of those who are taking part in the demonstrations in honor of the former captain general of the island.

## Relief For Weyler's Victims.

Havana, Nov. 24.—Marshal Blanco, the captain general of Cuba, has been authorized by the government at Madrid to sign a credit for \$100,000 to be devoted to the immediate relief of the suffering peasants who have been gathered in the vicinity of the towns occupied by the Spanish troops as a precautionary measure, and who had been suffering great hardships and privations by reason of Weyler's inhuman methods.

## Weyler Is For Weyler.

Barcelona, Spain, Nov. 24.—It is understood in Barcelona that General Weyler will hold aloof from the Carlists and Republicans, but he desires to pose as the champion of "national protection," aims at reorganizing the "conservative party," and, in order to realize his protectionist ideal, will vigorously oppose the granting of tariff autonomy to Cuba.

## Will Not Modify the Program.

Madrid, Nov. 24.—Premier Sagasta, replying to a Catalan deputation, formally declared that the government of Spain could in no way modify its program of autonomy for Cuba.

## Not What He Expected.

Barcelona, Spain, Nov. 24.—General Weyler was given an ovation when he landed here, but the narrow limits to which it was confined was a great disappointment to him and his friends.

## On Both Sides.

Madrid, Nov. 24.—The Imparcial strongly opposes the granting of tariff autonomy to Cuba, while El Liberal as strongly favors it.

## Careless of Lathams Killed.

London, Nov. 24.—The Countess of Lathams, while returning from a shooting party, was thrown out of a trap

and killed, near Wigan, Lancashire. The Earl of Lathom is the lord chamberlain of the household of Queen Victoria.

## Laying the Foundation.

New York, Nov. 24.—The testimony of the several witnesses in the case of Martin Thorne, charged with the murder of William Guldensuppe, related solely to finding portions of the body and identification of it.

## DURRANT'S DEFENSE.

Murderer of Mrs. Langfeldt Now Comes to the Rescue.

Morgan, Tex., Nov. 24.—On March 2 last Joseph E. Blanthier, alias Forbes, suicided in the Meridian jail in this (Bosque) county. A man named Pitts was in the jail at the time, and he now produces this letter written by Forbes, with the explanation that it had been mislaid:

Mr. Pitts: As this is my last day on earth I wish to say that I can not die without telling a truth. I murdered Mrs. Langfeldt, also Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams. I put this in your coat pocket and hope you will find it in time to save the life of Durrant. It may also be of service to Mr. Warrenton in getting his reward money.

This letter was compared with a letter written by Blanthier to County Treasurer Randle while he (Blanthier) was teaching school at Kopperl, this county, and the identification is pronounced to be beyond doubt.

Cashier Rudasill of the First National bank of Meridian says it compares favorably with Blanthier's handwriting, while others have hesitancy in pronouncing the letter written by Blanthier.

## About the Whaling Fleet.

Valparaiso, Ind., Nov. 24.—John McGregor of this city received word from his brother, Captain McGregor of San Francisco, stating that he had just returned from a whaling expedition in the Arctic ocean, where he had been since last spring, and that his vessel was part of the fleet of which six vessels are now icebound. The letter says that this has been the most successful season in 25 years, McGregor's vessel having secured 12,000 pounds of whalebone and 25,000 pounds of oil.

## She Was Murdered.

Lambertville, N. J., Nov. 24.—Mrs. Margaret Devlin, 95, living at Yardley, died on Saturday at the home of her brother-in-law. She was buried Sunday, death being supposedly from old age. The coroner received an anonymous communication alleging that Mrs. Devlin's death was not due to natural causes. The body was disinterred and an examination disclosed a wound in the right breast extending through the lung to the back.

## Charges Against Smith.

Washington, Nov. 24.—Formal charges have been preferred with the president and the secretary of the interior against John U. Smith, United States commissioner for Dyea, Alaska. Specific allegations are made of usurpation, of unwarranted authority, of taking extortionate fees for his services, and other grave irregularities. An investigation has been begun, and it is probable Smith's removal will follow.

## They Were Near Neighbors.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—A curious phase of the Ketcham case has developed. Two women interested in the outcome have, unknown to each other, been near neighbors in this city. They are Mrs. Ketcham and Mrs. Frank L. Titus, niece of John Walkup, ex-mayor of Emporia, Kan., who made Mrs. Ketcham, then 15 years old, his wife, and died shortly afterward from arsenic poisoning.

## Very Light Vote.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—At the special election held in the Sixth congressional district for a successor to Edward D. Cooke, deceased, Henry S. Boutell, the Republican candidate, was elected over Vincent H. Perkins, his Democratic competitor, by 840 votes, the total vote being less than 50 per cent of last year.

## Will Lift Up Their Voices.

Berlin, Nov. 24.—The session of the general synod of Prussia, in session here, will discuss, among other things, the question of the employment in universities of liberal theologians, will protest against dueling, and will urge the enforcement of stricter observance of the Sabbath.

## Mortgage to Be Foreclosed.

New York, Nov. 24.—Papers were filed in a suit brought by the New York Life Insurance company against Oscar Hammerstein, Lewis J. Phillips and 20 other defendants to foreclose a mortgage for \$1,800,000 held by the plaintiff upon the Olympia Music hall because of default of interest.

## Bill's Brother to Command.

Berlin, Nov. 24.—The newspapers of this city report that Prince Henry of Prussia, brother of Emperor William, is to take command of the German squadron in Chinese waters.

## Charged With Assault.

New Corwin, O., Nov. 24.—Enoch McCright, 26, married, and Ellsworth Dodge, 19, are in jail charged with outraging Miss Kate Freeman, 18.

## MAIL FROM ENGLAND.

The British See Trade Slipping From Them.

## AMERICA IS NOW A FACTOR.

United States Enterprise Has Simply Paralyzed John Bull's Subjects and They Are Completely Dazed.

London, Nov. 24.—Hon. Charles T. Ritchie, president of the board of trade made an important speech before the chamber of commerce of Croydon, taking as his theme the decline of British exports during the last ten months, upon which he hung a grave warning against American competition, now "ousting British trade."

Mr. Ritchie, after declaring that the Dingley tariff and the engineering trade dispute were mainly responsible for the recent decline of exports, and after pointing out that England had no weapons against the tariff, said there was a great deal of talk in commercial circles about the serious competition of Germany; but he thought they were too apt to overlook a more serious competitor, the United States.

"The facts are serious," he continued, "and call upon us for the exercise of all our powers to enable us to maintain our position in the commercial world. There is no doubt the United States are executing orders which ought to be executed here."

"As we all know, an American firm obtained the contract for the Central underground railway of London, as its bid was lower than those of the English concerns and it could deliver the supplies three months ahead of the British tenders. Many important continental orders have gone to America."

"The same is to be said of Egypt and Japan, where the Americans are doing work that Englishmen should have done. In consequence of the engineering dispute many orders are leaving the country, and, unfortunately, these orders seldom return."

"America's successful competition is due to her enterprise in embarking capital, but it is yet more due to the freedom her manufacturers enjoy of employing machinery and working it in the most economical manner, untrammelled by the restrictions which have hampered manufacturers here."

## Opposed to Dawes Commission.

Antlers, I. T., Nov. 24.—About 300 Indians from the Five Tribes are holding a convention here in opposition to the Dawes commission agreement. Delegates from the Five Tribes will be appointed to meet in an international convention at Eufaula in about two weeks, when a memorial will be prepared for congress setting forth their views and their wishes as to future legislation for the Five Tribes.

## The Methodist Congress.

Pittsburg, Nov. 24.—The second day's session of the Methodist Episcopal congress opened with the Sunday services prepared by John Wesley for the use of Methodists in America. Rev. Dr. W. P. Thinkield of Gammon Theological seminary of Atlanta, presided and conducted the beautiful ceremonies. The rest of the session was taken up with discussions on the various papers.

## Willelts Will Return.

English, Ind., Nov. 24.—R. H. Willelts, the missing cashier of the English bank, which was closed several days ago, has notified friends that he will return and settle up the affairs of the bank, provided no criminal prosecution is instituted. He has been assured that he will not be molested, and will probably return in a few days. His friends will not give out his hiding place.

## Receivers Appointed.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Superior Court Judge Shepard appointed Charles L. Bird and William Fries receivers for the International Building, Loan and Investment union, on the application of President George M. Emrick of the union. Assets are given at \$300,000, with liabilities of \$325,000. A large portion of the assets consists of real estate, and is said to be in an unmarketable condition.

## Confessed His Guilt.

New York, Nov. 24.—Fritz Meyer, alias Constantine Steiger, who was convicted of the murder of Policeman Frederick Smith, was sentenced to be electrocuted during the week beginning Jan. 10. Before going to court Meyer was visited in his cell by a priest, his wife and sister, and to them confessed, as he had done before, that he was guilty of the crime.

## Turkey Must Submit.

Rome, Nov. 24.—The report is officially confirmed that the powers have decided to blockade Constantinople in case Turkey refuses to withdraw her troops from Crete and to accept a European governor of the island.

## Valuable Horses Burned.

Montreal, Nov. 24.—The stables of Cyrille Laurin were burned, together with several valuable horses. Anti-note, record \$104, valued at \$20,000, was among the number.

## Revenue Employees Suspended.

San Francisco, Nov. 24.—Revenue Collector Lynch received orders from Washington to suspend, pending an official investigation, Deputy Collector J. P. Zemansky, Deputy Collector E. F. Lennon and Clerk Alice Davidson. The first two named are Democrats, and Miss Davidson holds her appointment from a Democratic administration. The investigation ordered will be in connection with their conduct as witnesses in the Welburn case.

## Revolution Is Urged.

Montevideo, Uruguay, Nov. 24.—The Herrrista party has issued a manifesto proposing ex-President Gomeoro as a candidate for the presidency, in succession to the late President Borda. The adherents of Senor Cuestas, the president ad interim, formerly president of the senate, are urging him to overthrow the senate and proclaim himself dictator.

## No Agreement.

New York, Nov. 24.—The report that the Arbuckles and the Havemeyers had come to an agreement regarding the price of sugar and coffee was denied at the offices of both companies.

## The Official Count.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 24.—The official count of the election held Nov. 2 has been completed. Sullivan, Fusion candidate for supreme judge, received 102,838, and Post, Republican, 89,009.

## Want a Modern Warship.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The Illinois Naval Militia association has called a meeting at Chicago, Nov. 30, to consider the feasibility of having the old gunboat Michigan, now the sole representative of the United States navy on the great lakes, replaced by a modern warship.

## Available Cash Balance Increased.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The available cash balance in the treasury was increased by \$13,645,250, making the total \$216,503,585, the increase being the amount received on account of the sale of the bonds in the sinking fund of the Union Pacific railroad.

## Explosion in Fireworks Factory.

Berlin, Nov. 24.—By an explosion in a fireworks factory at Schoenhaufer-Allee one man and two girls were killed and seven other persons injured.

## Turf Winners.

At Nashville—John Boone, Maggie, Shut-Gecock, Toke Simmons, L. W.  
At Lexington—Virginia R., Albert Vale, Three Bars, Turtle Dove, Amateur.  
At Falmouth—Hedde, Ten Spot, Albert S. Wardsworth, Athlete.

## The Weather.

For West Virginia—Fair; slightly warmer; northerly winds, becoming variable.  
For Ohio—Fair; warmer; brisk northerly winds, becoming variable.  
For Indiana—Fair; warmer; variable winds, becoming southerly.

## Democratic Campaign Expenses.

Columbus, O., Nov. 24.—Treasurer W. H. Williams of the Democratic state committee swears that he expended \$1,228 for campaign expenses and received but \$1,208.

## Sentenced to Hang.

Napance, Ont., Nov. 24.—John F. Troy was sentenced to be hanged on Jan. 14 next for the murder of Angus McLeod in September, 1893.

## His Last Coffin Nail.

Lisbon, O., Nov. 24.—Ben Moore, 22, dropped dead while walking on the street with a young lady, as a result of excessive cigarette smoking.

## A Fatal Fall.

Wooster, O., Nov. 24.—William Shellhart fell from a ladder in his barn and sustained injuries from which he died in a short time.

## Fooled the Old Man.

Akron, O., Nov. 24.—Charles Cooper, 45, hanged himself in his barn, but was cut down by his sons before life was extinct.

## The New Haitian Minister.

M. Jacques Nicolas Leger, the new Haitian minister to the United States, "is a fine looking man of about 38," says the Boston Transcript, "with an intelligent and refined face and most cultivated manners. His complexion is light and his whole bearing is that of a gentleman of education, accustomed to refined society. Not yet perfectly acquainted with English, his conversation is slow, but in his native language, French, he is a fluent and graceful writer. M. Leger is a descendant of the negroes who fought in the famous insurrection which gave Haiti her freedom, at the beginning of the century, his ancestor, Colonel Leger, a commander, being in the patriot army. His father is now a senator in the congress. He was educated abroad, mostly in Paris, at which post he was a member of the legation, returning later to his native land and establishing himself in the practice of the law at Port-au-Prince, the capital. Here he rapidly rose in his profession and became distinguished as the head of the bar, being elected chief of the barristers in that city."

## The Wild Horses of Arizona.

"There must be 20,000 head of wild horses in northern Arizona," said Will S. Barnes, one of the largest cattle owners in Navajo county recently. "They are the worst nuisance that can be imagined. It has reached the point when we cannot safely turn out a riding horse to graze. We have to keep our saddle animals and round up horses stabled all

winter or bring them down to Phoenix for pasturage. The wild stock not only eat the food that ought to go to the cattle, but they run cattle off the range. They have chased off all the cattle from the west end of the Hush Knife range, one of the best grass districts in north-eastern Arizona. It is useless to put out salt for the stock, for the wild horses chase away the cattle that come near it. At this season of the year they are fat and have shining hides. They sweep over the country in great bands, gathering up any stray animals they may come across. A horse is as good as lost that joins them."—Cor. St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

## Was on a Hike.

"That case in Maine recalls an incident in my own experience," said the lawyer who profits largely upon the matrimonial troubles of others. "There was a rich widow living in the town where I began practice and after her weeds were discarded she was given over to the lighter ways of society. She was especially prone to flirtation at her favorite summer resort and her engagements there were held as lightly as those of the veriest summer girl. Her return home from a summer of unusual brilliance was followed in a short time by a respectable looking gentleman of 30 who showed his business qualities by walking into my office and putting down a handsome retainer before talking business."

"Now, sir," he stated with admirable directness, "I want you to begin a \$50,000 suit against this wealthy widow. She gave me an unqualified promise of marriage and now refuses to make it good. Men have hearts to break and pride to humiliate, just as women have, and I propose to strike a blow for my sex."

"Would you compromise?"  
"Yes, in case you so advise, but not for less than half the sum named and a written apology from her. If it would help any in the matter of a settlement out of court, I have the affidavits of half a dozen poor devils that she has thrown over from time to time."

"The widow stormed and fumed and then capitulated. She couldn't face the prospect of having her foolish flirtations blazoned before the public. After she had wedded again and gone abroad my client made this admission to me: 'I was never engaged to that widow and had she proposed to settle by marrying me I would have run. I took chances on her forgetting just whom she did promise to marry and I won.'"—Detroit Free Press.

## He Would, But—

One of the guardians of Prospect park, Brooklyn, is a believer in matrimony. This is Barney, who devotes his time to spearing stray leaves which desecrate the park's clean lawns. Barney is a picturesque figure and visitors to the park



who are conversationally inclined never fail to ask him questions, most of which are of a purely casual nature. One of the first questions always is, "How old are you, Barney?" "One hundred and five," Barney invariably answers with great cheerfulness. Now the park people who know Barney believe this to be something of an exaggeration, for though Barney has undoubtedly lived the allotted span of a man's life, there is no reason to think that he has been allowed to prolong his stay in this terrestrial sphere so much beyond that period, but whether Barney considers the question too personal to require a strictly truthful reply or whether he has lived more years than he can count correctly his answer is always the same, 105.

"Are you married, Barney?" the conversation making visitor next inquires, and to that question Barney answers with equal readiness, "Oh, yes, three times!" That is another frank answer which might be supposed to satisfy the visitor's curiosity, but one curious questioner went still further. "I see you are a believer in matrimony," he said, "but why don't you marry a fourth time?" Then Barney grew confidential, though still cheerful. "Well, I would," he said, "but, you see, the old woman, she's not dead yet."—New York Times.

## Reward of Literature.

Among the women writers of the capital there is one young matron whose name is very well known. A few months ago she sent a short story to a magazine which presented itself as an untitled field. By and by she received notification that the story had been accepted and that in payment thereof her name had been put on the subscription list for one year. The author immediately returned answer that the compensation was not adequate.

"Dear madam," the editor wrote back, "yours of such a date received. We have put your name on the subscription list for two copies each month."

And for fear that further correspondence would burden her with three copies of the magazine she was forced to be content with that.—Washington Post.

## Two Specials

— AT THE —

## Columbia Shoe Store THIS WEEK.

500 pairs Gents' Winter Tans, heavy cork soles, full calf lined, a splendid winter shoe, best style,

\$3.00 Per Pair.

600 pairs Ladies' New London Welt Sole Shos, will make any foot appear pretty; AA to E,

\$3.00 Per Pair.

1000 pairs Ladies' Wool Soles

9 Cents.

SEE THEM IN OUR WINDOWS.

THE COLUMBIA,

Leading Shoe House, Lima, O.



## LACED BY HOGGAL

**What Liverpool, O., Nov. 24.**—The fact was made known that the eastern parties who are backing the proposed consolidation of the country into a giant trust are J. P. Morgan & Company, the New York bankers.

The new company will be organized on a basis of valuation of the 45 large plants in the country at \$27,500,000. J. P. Morgan & Company agree to advance \$11,000,000 cash and to buy out two-thirds of each plant. The balance the manufacturers take in stock.

**Feast at Delmonico's.**

New York, Nov. 24.—The one hundred and twenty-ninth annual dinner of the chamber of commerce was given at Delmonico's new restaurant. Secretary of the Treasury Lyman J. Gage was the guest of honor and the chief speaker. Alexander E. Orr, president of the chamber, presided. Among the other guests were Secretary of War Russell A. Alger, Governor Frank B. Black, Comptroller of the Currency J. M. Beckley, Mayor William L. Strong, President Daniel C. Gullman of Johns Hopkins university, Major General Henry Merritt, Commodore Francis M. Benson, United States navy; Carl Schurz and Whitelaw Reid.

**A Magnificent Gift.**

Philadelphia, Nov. 24.—The announcement is made that Peter A. B. Widener, former city treasurer and now President of the Philadelphia Traction company, has who also has big interests in street railway lines in many other cities intends to present to the city of Philadelphia the palatial residence now occupied by him at Broad street and Girard avenue, to become a branch of the city's free library.

**Mine Closed Down.**

Brasil, Ind., Nov. 24.—The Crawford coal company employed two nonunion men and sent them to one of their mines, but before the men could be lowered into the pit the 300 men employed there quit work. General Manager W. W. Risher ordered the mine closed down. This likely commences a bitter fight between the operators and miners.

**Closed by the Sheriff.**

Massfield, O., Nov. 24.—The Thompson Dry Goods company, operating the Boston store here, capitalized at \$60,000, and one of the largest concerns of the kind in this part of the state, was closed by the sheriff on judgments aggregating \$43,000. It is believed the aggregate liabilities will reach \$60,000.

**Only a Small Shortage.**

Malone, N. Y., Nov. 24.—Ever since Edwin R. Towser, county treasurer of Franklin county, was found dead in his bed at one of the Malone hotels on the night of Oct. 1 rumors have been current that he was short in his accounts. An examination of his accounts reveals a shortage of \$3,086.

**Left it to Charity.**

Paris, Nov. 24.—It is believed the late Dr. Thomas W. Evans, the famous American dentist who facilitated the flight of the ex-Empress Eugenie from Paris in 1870, and who died here on Nov. 14 last, left most of his large fortune to found charitable institutions bearing his name.

**Her Lips Are Sealed.**

Five-Mile, O., Nov. 24.—Miss Eunice Widdington, who was missing from her home near Crownston for over a week and was found near here raving with brain fever, is dead. No trace of her home has been found. There seems no doubt that criminal assault was attempted.

**Differences Settled.**

Coshocton, O., Nov. 24.—At a meeting of operators and delegates from the mines about Coshocton and President James of the United Mine Workers of Ohio the differences were settled by granting the miners' requests. Work in all the mines has been resumed.

**A Defaulter Hides Out.**

Wynanville, Ind., Nov. 24.—Marshall A. Cook, deputy collector of the port of Wynanville, is a defaulter to the extent of \$434. He has spent the money, and his superior, George W. Haynie, will be the loser. Cook confessed his guilt in a letter to Mr. Haynie. Cook has shipped and is known to have gone south. He left behind him a wife and two children.

**Lost His Reason.**

San Francisco, Nov. 24.—James Blair, third mate of the English ship Kalihura, was examined before Judge Belcher by the insanity commissioners and sent to the insane asylum. He lost his reason while the vessel was rounding Cape Horn.

**Banks to Consolidate.**

New York, Nov. 24.—Several old downtown banks intend to follow the example of the Third National and the United States National banks by consolidating with stronger financial institutions.

**Died of Heart Disease.**

Baltimore, Nov. 24.—George D. Apthold, 77, president of the Merchants and Miners' Transportation company and the Howard Oak Leather company, died of heart disease.

**Gold From Australia.**

Sydney, Nov. 24.—The steamer Mona of the Union Steamship company of New Zealand (limited), which has sailed for San Francisco, took \$275,000 in gold.

**Distillery Warehouses Burned.**

St. Louis, Nov. 24.—Warehouses and contents of the Ravenswood Distilling company were destroyed by fire. Loss, \$91,000.

## Liver Ills

Liver troubles, dyspepsia, headache, constipation, loss of appetite, depression are promptly cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work.

## Hood's Pills

Take them thoroughly. They are gentle and safe. Sold everywhere. Prepared by C. L. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only pills to take with Hood's Maltaperin.

## THE KNOWING TOURIST.

And the Information He Gets From the Good Natured Native.

A person whom the tourist always meets is the good natured man who is ready to supply any amount of information, all of which is inaccurate. He discourses volubly to the people about him, averring, for instance, that Mount Adams is ten feet higher than Mount Washington, that all the water for the Summit House is pumped up from the base of the mountain by a hydraulic ram, that Pike's peak is as high above the timber line as Mount Washington is altogether, and so on.

One of these men of "vast and varied misinformation" was encountered by a correspondent of the Boston Transcript on board the steamer which plies between Boston and Plymouth. He was engaged in assuring a lady passenger that the "old ships" which she saw at the World's fair at Chicago were not those in which the pilgrims came to Plymouth, but the very ones in which Columbus' expedition discovered America.

"But just what was the Mayflower like?" asked the lady. "Was she anything like this steamer we're on?"

"I don't exactly know," answered the encyclopedic gentleman. "All I'm sure of is that she was a side wheeler!"

This story reminds the Free Press of Plymouth of some of the historical information which the people of the pilgrim town get from excursionists on their streets. An example was this remark, delivered ruminatingly by one tourist to another on their way down to the boat.

"I suppose that Pocahontas and Captain John Smith have walked up and down this street a hundred times!"

The climax of misinformation is surely capped by another excursionist at Plymouth, who had got into a discussion with still another over the question of who discovered America.

"It was George Washington, of course," said the second man.

"Not at all," answered the other. "It was William Tell."

**Gold From Coal.**

The Denver Republican says there is a man in Colorado who has invented a device whereby \$4 worth of gold can be extracted from coal. If dealers would deduct \$4 a ton from the price of coal to the consumer, the latter would be willing to permit him to keep all the gold he might find.

**Very Painful.**

"I was afflicted with a dull feeling and my back was covered with scrofulous eruptions which were very painful. I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and after using about two bottles I found that it did me a great deal of good. I continued its use and it entirely cured me." John T. Phillips, 2102 Axtell St., Cleveland, Ohio.

Hood's Pills act easily and promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

**His Wife's Comment.**

He: "The sight of an old schoolmate is—er—well, it might be called both meet and drink."

She: "Yes, that's what you mean usually do under the circumstances."

"Er?"

"Meet and drink."—*Indianapolis Journal.*

**I take great pleasure in recommending "Carter's Oseana Cordial." I consider it a fine medicine for everything. My children had eruptions on the face resulting from impure blood. I used one or two bottles of the Oseana Cordial and it completely cured them; the humor left and their skin is without a scar. I have also used it for other members of my family, as well as myself, and am very much pleased with it. I shall always keep it in the house.**

Mrs D. G. Boy, Whitling, Ind.

For sale by Wm M. Melville and Howard B. Hoyer.

**The Reason.**

"I wonder why it is that foot ball players wear long hair, yet do not allow their beards to grow?"

"Why, you see, most of them have close shaves in the scrumming."—*Philadelphia North American.*

**The Business Man**

who neglects his business often finds himself in a bad condition. Just so with you if you neglect that cold. Why not get rid of it? It is very simple and only costs a quarter. Did you ever try Carter's Cough Cure? It will cure you. Price 25 cents. For sale by Wm. M. Melville and Howard B. Hoyer.

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## HEART DISEASE.

Some Facts Regarding the Rapid Increase of Heart Troubles.

Do Not Be Alarmed, but Look for the Cause.

Heart troubles, at least among Americans, are certainly increasing, and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs—of poor digestion.

Meat, organic heart disease is incurable; but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble is organic.

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by branches of the same great nerves, the Sympathetic and Pneumogastric.

In another way, also, the heart is affected by that form of poor digestion which causes gas and fermentation from half digested food; there is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest caused by the pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action; hence arises palpitation and short breath.

Poor digestion also poisons the blood, makes it thin and watery, which irritates and weakens the heart.

The most sensible treatment for heart troubles is to improve the digestion and to insure the prompt assimilation of food.

This can best be done by the regular use after meals of some safe, pleasant and effective digestive preparation, like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which may be found in most drug stores and which contain valuable, harmless digestive elements, in a pleasant, convenient form.

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**Query of the Times**

The lover was enthusiastic. "She has poetry in her eyes," he exclaimed.

"Yes?" returned the cynic, tantalizingly.

"She has roses in her cheeks," persisted the lover.

"Yes?" returned the cynic again.

"She has music in her voice," asserted the lover defiantly.

"And what in the bank?" queried the cynic.—*Chicago Post.*

**A Quaker (?) Medicine.**

There is a medicine whose proprietors do not claim to have discovered some hitherto unknown ingredients or that it is a cure-all. This honest medicine only claims to cure certain diseases, and that its ingredients are recognized by the most skilled physicians as being the best for Kidney and Bladder Diseases. It is Foley's Kidney Cure. H. F. Fortkamp, s. e. cor. Main and North streets.

**Handy to Have Around.**

"If there is anything that worries me," he said, with emphasis, "it's this talk about its being anything but a delight to have a girl marry a young man who comes to live with the family."

"Do you speak from experience?"

"Of course I do. My daughter has married a young man who is going to live with us till he gets established in business. And he can have goblets, tapestry and gold doorknobs if they're necessary to keep him from moving away before the winter's over."

"What's his business?"

"He's a plumber."—*Washington Star.*

**'Tis Midnight!**

Hark! All through the house rings the awful sound, once heard never forgotten, the sound of a child's croup cough. There is no time to lose. Croup is a monster that will not be trifled with. Then is the time that if you have neglected to provide yourself with a bottle of Dr. Hand's Cough and Croup Medicine you really realize how careless and neglectful you have been. It is worth its weight in gold at that critical moment. And yet it costs only 25c a bottle at any drug store.

**What He Did Know.**

Bostonian: Is this friend that you wish to bring to dinner much of a raconteur?

Chicago Man: Blamed if I know; but say, you'll die laughing if I can get him to tell his stories.—*Cleveland Leader.*

**CASTORIA**

For Infants and Children.

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## ARMOR PLANT.

It Will Cost a Fortune, but Will Be Entirely Complete.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The special naval board appointed to examine into the cost of armor making will present to congress details of a plant which it has designed. It will cost more than \$3,000,000 and will have a capacity of 6,000 tons of armor per annum.

The processes of manufacture will include the very latest developments in the art of metallurgy, and while the plans contemplate the manufacture of harzylized nickel steel armor according to the methods used in the reformed process, they will admit of easy adaptation to the new secret Krupp processes of hardening the armor by the use of gas.

**Scheme Did Not Work.**

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 24.—J. W. Goshorn, former clerk of the court of Kanawha county, was arrested and held under \$2,500 bond, charged with abstracting from the clerk's office vouchers on which Sheriff Silman had been paid \$2,300, for the alleged purpose of destroying them and making it appear that the amount had been improperly paid Silman. The papers were recovered.

**Exports Increasing.**

New York, Nov. 24.—Exports of general merchandise from this port for the week just ended were valued at \$10,441,463, against \$7,478,068 in the preceding week and \$7,721,265 in the corresponding week of last year; since Jan. 1 \$350,628,839, against \$324,640,817 in the corresponding period of last year.

**Admits the Theft.**

New Brighton, S. I., Nov. 24.—Mrs. Rudd, 65, widow of Commodore Rudd, United States navy, admits stealing jewelry, says she does not know why she did it, and offers to replace it. Her daughters are wives of British naval officers.

**Towed on Pontoon.**

Montreal, Nov. 24.—The United States warship Yantic left for Ogdensburg, en route to Detroit. She is being towed on six pontoons by tugs. Her entire keel, 12 feet of her bow and all her spars have been removed.

**Another Trust Forming.**

New York, Nov. 24.—Several piano manufacturers confirmed the reports which have been circulated to the effect that an attempt is being made to consolidate the large manufacturing in this country.

**Postoffice Burglarized.**

Maxton, N. C., Nov. 24.—The post-office here was entered, the safe blown open and \$100 in money and \$180 worth of stamps and the contents of four registered letters taken.

**Clerk and Money Gone.**

New York, Nov. 24.—Daniel McCalland, 22, a messenger and Clerk in the Bronxborough bank, disappeared with \$2,500 of the bank's money.

**Victim of an Assassin.**

Hannawa Falls, N. Y., Nov. 21.—Ass Briggs, the farmer who was shot on the night of Nov. 10 by an unknown masked man, is dead.

**MARKET REPORTS.**

Grain and Stock Quotations for Nov. 23. New York.

Beef—Family \$5 50/100 50 extra mess, \$7 50/80 00, packed, \$5 50/60 00. Cut meats—Picked bellies, 65¢/75¢. Picked shoulders, 55¢. Picked hams, 75¢/85¢. Large Western steams, \$4 45. Pork—Old mess, \$3 25/40 00. Butter—Western dairy, 12¢/14¢. Creamery, 14¢/16¢. Eggs—Small, 17¢/18¢. Part skims, 16¢/17¢. Full skims, 18¢/19¢. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 16¢/18¢. Western, fresh, 15¢.

Wheat—60¢. Corn—33¢. Oats—25¢. Rye—30¢.

**Pittsburg.**

Cattle—Choice, \$4 80/4 90. Good, \$4 50/4 70. Fair, \$4 20/4 40. 4 15. Common, \$3 15¢/3 30. Bulls, steers and cows, \$2 00/3 00. Fresh cows, \$2 00/2 50. Hogs— Yorkers, \$3 50/3 70. Mediums, \$3 00/3 25. Fair, \$2 50/3 00. Grassers, \$3 00/3 25. Heavy, \$2 50/3 00. Rough, \$2 25/2 50. 3 25. Pigs, \$3 00/3 25. Sheep and Lambs—Choice, \$4 50/4 80. Good, \$4 10/4 40. Fair, \$3 50/4 00. Common, \$3 00/3 25. 60 lbs. choice lambs, \$5 00/5 20. Chicago.

Cattle—Beef, \$3 80/4 00. Cows and heifers, \$1 80/4 40. Texas steers, \$3 00/4 40. 4 40. Westerns, \$3 50/4 80. Stockers and feeders, \$3 00/4 50. Hogs—Light, \$3 25/3 75. Medium, \$3 25/3 50. Heavy, \$3 25/3 40. Roughs, \$3 20/3 30. Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, \$4 50/4 80. Common, \$3 00/4 00. Choice lambs, \$4 00/4 25. Exporters, \$3 00/3 25. Wheat—55¢. Corn—33¢. Oats—20¢. Rye—47¢.

**Buffalo.**

Cattle—Butchers' \$4 50/4 75. Ship plus \$4 75/4 50. Best steers, \$5 00/5 25. Good, cows and heifers, \$1 00/4 21. Stealers and feeders, \$3 00/4 15. Light, \$3 00/4 25. Heavy, \$3 00/4 25. 3 00. Pigs, \$3 00/3 25. Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, \$4 50/4 80. Common, \$3 00/4 00. Choice lambs, \$4 00/4 25. Exporters, \$3 00/3 25. Wheat—55¢. Corn—33¢. Oats—20¢. Rye—47¢.

**Cleveland.**

Hogs— Yorkers and lights, \$3 50. Mediums and heavies, \$3 50. Steers and roughs, \$2 75/3 00. Sheep and Lambs—Choice, \$2 50/4 25. Fair, \$2 00/3 50. 3 00. Cattle—Steers, \$3 75/4 75. Heifers, \$3 50/4 00. Cows and bulls, \$2 00/3 50.

**Cincinnati.**

Wheat—2¢ red, 94¢. Corn—No. 2 mixed 27¢. Oats—No. 2 mixed 24¢/25¢. Rye 40¢. Lard—4 15. Lard—4 15. Bacon—\$5 85. Hogs—\$2 00/2 50. Cattle—\$2 25/3 10. Sheep—\$2 50/4 15. Lambs—\$4 50/5 25.

**Boston.**

Wool—Ohio fleeces, X and above, 27¢/28¢. XX and above 26¢/27¢. Delaines, 20¢/21¢. No. 1 combing, 20¢/21¢. No. 2 combing, 20¢/21¢.

**Baltimore.**

Butter—French creamery, 23¢. Eggs—Fresh, 21¢.

**Toledo.**

Wheat—60¢. Corn—27¢. Oats—21¢. Rye—40¢. Cloverseed—\$3 15.

**Metaphor by Pigeons.**

A flock of pigeons in the garret of the new cellulose building at the penitentiary in Jefferson City, Mo., suddenly began making an unnatural noise early a few mornings ago. Night Guard Gordon, growing suspicious, investigated the cause of the commotion and discovered a convict in the act of lowering himself to the ground with a blanket rope. Three other convicts were found in the garret ready to follow down the rope, and the four were returned to their cells. All are serving terms for robbery and are known as daring men.—*Chicago Post.*

**IT Hits the Spot.**

When suffering from a severe cold and your throat and lungs feel sore, take a dose of FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR, when the soreness will be at once relieved, a warm grateful feeling and healing of the parts affected will be experienced and you will say: "It feels so good, IT HITS THE SPOT." It is guaranteed. H. F. Vorkamp, northeast corner Main and North streets.



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**Hunters Report.**

That duck shooting at the Cella reservoir along the line of the O. H. & D. is better this season than it has been in a number of years.

**Ohio State Grange, Columbus, Ohio, December 13th 1897.**

On account of the above, agents of the O. H. & D. R. R. will sell the rate of one and one third fare for the round trip. Tickets will be good December 13th and 14th, and will be good returning from Columbus and December 15th, inclusive.

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**STATES OF OHIO.**

It is ordered that the terms of the Common Pleas Court of the several counties in said State be as follows for the year 1898, be as follows to-wit:

the 1st day of January, the 1st day of April and the 1st day of September.

Agric. County on the 3rd day of January, the 1st day of April and the 1st day of September.

Allen County on the 7th day of February, the 1st day of May and the 1st day of October.

Merger County on the 14th day of March, the 1st day of June and the 1st day of November.

Van Wert County on the 7th day of February, the 1st day of May and the 1st day of October.

Putnam County on the 21st day of February, the 1st day of May and the 1st day of November.

Paulding County on the 3rd day of January, the 1st day of April and the 1st day of September.

Defiance County on the 1st day of March, the 1st day of June and the 1st day of November.

Henry County on the 3rd day of January, the 1st day of April and the 1st day of September.





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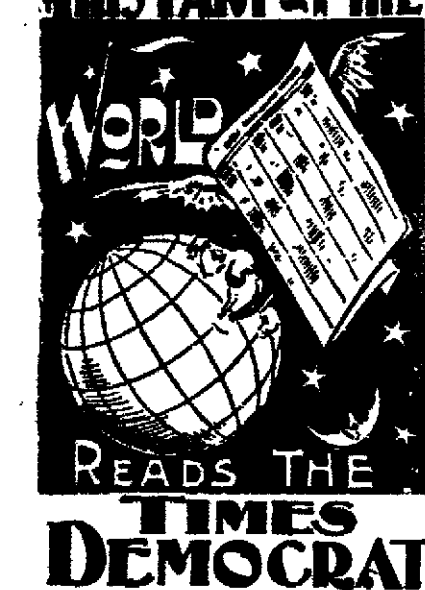
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## THIS PART OF THE



UNION LABEL

The Lima Hospital Association selected an excellent corps of directors at its meeting Monday night. They are gentlemen in whom the public have great confidence, and the future of this philanthropic enterprise could not have been placed in better hands.

According to the report of state treasurer Campbell it required nearly \$7,000,000 to run the affairs of the state of Ohio during the past year, under the Bushnell administration. Although times are hard and thousands of people in the state are hungry, the taxpayers of Ohio are still taxed to the amount of seven million dollars annually to pay for the fees and salaries of the Republican administration. There should be a return to the Democratic simplicity of William Allen's administration.

Editor Cappellet, of the Mansfield News, is looking for some grains of comfort over the result of the last election. The shrinkage in the Republican vote since the election a year ago has caused the genial editor sleepless nights and he has been searching through all manner of statistics for relief. He finally found figures which in an evil moment he thought warranted him in asserting that the Republicans should gloat over Bushnell's plurality, and he published the following paragraph:

Governor Bushnell's plurality of 28,101 is greater than that of any gubernatorial candidate elected in Ohio, the year following a presidential election, since 1869. If this be a Democratic "gain" the Democracy is welcome to all the comfort it can extract from it.

Having evolved that sentiment William could once more sleep the sleep of the just. He lost sight of the fact that the Republican plurality in November, 1896, was 51,538; in 1892 it was 92,622, and in 1891 it was 137,098, at which ratio of shrinkage the Republican plurality in Ohio would be entirely wiped out and the state thrown to the Democrats by 4,644 in 1898, and in 1899 the same ratio would give the state to the Democrats by 32,754. So that there is some substantial comfort to the Democrats in the "gain" in Ohio.

But say, B. C. Cappellet, what about the election in 1893—the first gubernatorial campaign after the election

of Cleveland in 1892? In that campaign the plurality given McKinley for governor of Ohio was 50,995. Does not that count, or do you not consider McKinley a good enough Republican to allow you to do so? "Gloating" over his plurality even when it was three times that of Bushnell's in 1897?

It cost the Republican state committee \$54,879.51 to carry the state of Ohio at the last election. This is just \$53,850.62 more than the Democratic committee paid out for carrying on the campaign. Yet the Republican press, during the campaign, abounded in yelps about the great amount of money the Democrats were spending.

The treasurer of the Democratic State Committee has filed his report of expenses with the Secretary of State, which shows the full amount received by the committee to be \$1,208.10, and the amount spent by the committee to be \$1,228.80. The small amount of money spent by the Democratic committee is in striking contrast with the enormous fund of money spent by the Republicans, which amounted to \$54,879.51. Only \$35,000 was contributed, leaving a deficit of \$19,879.51, which Mark Hanna is expected to make up. In the list of contributors to the Republican fund is Gov. Bushnell, who gave a beggarly \$500, and Senator Foraker, who contributed only the miserly sum of \$250 to help his dear friend Marcus along, while the "labor crusher" himself gave down in the amount of \$15,000. The shortage is still unpaid, and Hanna has positively refused to make it up until after he has been elected senator to succeed himself. If he wins out he will pay; if the promised goods are not delivered to him he will repudiate the debt.

The supreme headquarters of the American Protective Association have been closed and the furniture and equipment sold under the foreclosure of a mortgage given a Washington publishing house to cover the cost of printing supplies. The passing of the order as a national organization is the result, chiefly, of dissensions that had their origin in the presidential campaign of 1896, and are said to have caused a falling off of more than half of its membership. For some time the subordinate councils have refused to contribute to the support of the national body, which finding itself without means to continue its work, has quietly quit. The supreme president, J. W. Echols, assigns as another reason for the failure of the association that "at least one-third of the members are trying to make a living out of it." He declares that the organization owes him \$1,000 on account of salary, and that as soon as it is paid he is ready to resign.

The Toledo Blade has finally abandoned its rural idea of suspending publication on holidays and will hereafter be in effect a daily paper. A daily paper should be a daily publication. The TIMES-DEMOCRAT has always contended that there was no good reason why a daily paper should omit a publication because certain days were declared legal holidays. People who read daily papers want them as much on a holiday as at any other time—and really there is more demand for the paper upon those days because many shops and business houses are closed, and there is a larger number of persons with unemployed time than on other days. The TIMES-DEMOCRAT, recognizing the fact, has never missed its daily issue during its fifteen years' existence—it has constantly endeavored to give the public all the news all the time, and its constantly increasing circulation is a most satisfactory evidence of the success of its policy.

Shillalah Manufacture in Ireland. The shillalah industry, or the making of blackthorn sticks, is becoming quite prosperous in Ireland. Happily the shillalahs are not now intended, as in the days of Donnybrook fair, for cracking skulls, as may be imagined when we mention that the Duke of York returned from Ireland with 100 of them to present to his friends. One of the most industrious makers of these sticks is an old Crimean soldier who lives in a village in Connemara. Hearing that the queen suffered from rheumatism, he sent her majesty an exceedingly fine blackthorn crutch stick, with a letter guaranteeing it to be one of the finest and strongest in Ireland. He has now hanging in his little shop a framed letter of thanks and a portrait of the queen, which were sent him by order of her majesty.—Westminster Gazette.

## THE DEADLY CREESE.

IT WAS IN THE HAND OF THE MALAY SAILOR WHO RAN AMUCK.

Six Dead and Two Wounded the Record Made by the Wild Man in Ten Minutes—A Terrible Scene Described by a Sailor Who Was an Eyewitness.

"In four voyages to the East Indies, two of them to Malay ports, I have seen but one instance of that native performance called running amuck. Fortunately I saw it from a position of perfect safety, but the sight was enough to make me steer clear of all Malays afterward and any vessel that has them on board," said Edrix Deering, who as a boy and man sailed many seas in deep water ships. "It was in 1865, when I was a boy, on my first voyage, on the ship Harry Warren, which sailed from Boston to India with a cargo of ice. We were lying at anchor in the roads off Madras, unloading our middle deck cargo into lighters, and 100 vessels of all nations were anchored about us, discharging or taking on board their cargoes. The ship nearest us, about two cable lengths away, was the British ship Maharratta, which had come from Singapore in ballast with a crew of Malay lascars. It was one day at noon that, as our crew lay round under the awning in the fore-castle waiting for the order to turn to, one of the sailors sitting on the capstan sang out:

"Hi, mates, just look over to the lime juicer! They're having some kind of a rumpus there. See 'em going. I believe it's one of those Malays running amuck."

"We all jumped to our feet and looked at the Maharratta, and some of us ran up into the rigging to get a better view. From the topsail yard I could see all that was going on on the deck of the British ship. Amidships a lascar, naked to the waist, was slashing and stabbing at a European officer who had tried to grapple with him, while everybody else in sight on the ship was running fore or aft or taking to the rigging. On the quarter deck the captain was hurrying two ladies down the companionway into the cabin, supporting in his arms one of them who had fainted. As the officer fell lifeless to the deck the Malay bounded past him, following three sailors who had run aft, along the port gangway, upon the poop. As he ran he swung before him a long, slender knife, its crooked blade curving in and out like the writhings of a snake. He overtook the rearmost man on the poop and cut and stabbed him, as he had done with the officer, until the man fell. Meantime the second man leaped overboard, preferring to take his chances with the sharks and water serpents to remaining on board, and the third man ran across the quarter deck and up into the mizen rigging like a cat. The man in the water swam for our ship, and some natives in a lighter picked him up ahead of the sharks.

"The Malay left the man he had killed and looked around as if for fresh victims, but he himself was the only living person in view on the decks. He ran fore and aft, searching, but found no one, and he tried the cabin door, but it was closed fast. Then he went to the mizen rigging and started up the ratlines after the man who had taken refuge there. When the Malay had got as far as the mizen top, the man he was after took to the topgallant fore and aft stay and began to go down it hand over hand toward the mainmast. The Malay kept on up to the topgallant cross-trees and began to follow the man down the stay.

"There was something frightful in the relentlessness of his pursuit. He had got about ten feet down the stay when the captain appeared on the poop with a revolver and began firing at him. One, two, three shots he fired, and the Malay kept on down the stay. He was two-thirds of the way to the foot when at the fourth shot the arm that held the creese fell helpless by his side, though his hand still clutched the weapon. He clung to the stay by one hand and his feet and kept on down it almost as fast as before. A fifth and sixth shot, and at the last the Malay stopped still, then fell like a lump of putty to the deck, full 40 feet below. Whether he was dead when he struck the deck I do not know, but the mate, who must have been watching from his room, ran out from the cabin to where the Malay was with a handspike and made sure work of the fellow before he could rise. Then the lascars came running from the fore-castle and down the rigging, and with capstan bars, belaying pins and knives struck and thrust at the dead Malay until if he had had a dozen lives in him they would have been hammered out of his body before the officers could restrain the excited sailors.

"Our captain got the full story of the affair from the captain of the Maharratta the next day. The Malay had been brooding and sullen for days before, though no one knew what his grievance was. On this day as the men were piped to dinner he had gone into the fore-castle, got the creese from some place where he had it concealed and had furiously attacked his mates without a word. They raised the cry 'Amuck, amuck!' and scattered, but not until three of them had been killed or mortally wounded and two more of them seriously cut by the creese. Running forward, he had encountered the second mate, and the rest of the affair I saw. Five men dead and two badly hurt by the Malay and himself killed at the end was the record of ten minutes' business in running amuck. Malays in mine after this? No, thank you."—New York Sun.

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These prices are only a few of the many magnetic values that draw the crowds to our store day by day. WE MUST HAVE THE ROOM and know of no other way of disposing of our stock as quickly. Look around, then come to us and make your comparison.

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We have too many premium goods, and as we need the room we shall give with every cash purchase of a Suit or Overcoat amounting to \$10.00 or over, a fine Oak Rocker, Bookcase or a Bronze Clock, all of which are very suitable for holiday presents, and which are worth from \$1.50 to \$3.00 in any furniture store.

THE UNION,

LIMA'S BEST AND CHEAPEST CLOTHING STORE.



## FROM LIMA

esque Isle to be the Outlet to the Lakes

## SHIPMENTS OF OIL.

New Shipping Station to be Connected With the Lake Erie By a Pipe Line—New Project an Important One.

The Ohio Oil Industry, says the Toledo News, have now completed arrangements to transfer to Presque Isle for a large transportation station. It ought to be very glad to remember the early history of the discovery of oil in northwestern Ohio, since that time other cities of much importance secured large investments by various oil companies which have brought a great deal of eastern money into this field, while Toledo's share, so far as refineries and such industries go, has been a very limited one.

The proposition upon which Presque Isle is to establish on that spot a large shipping depot and pipe line, the main line will run direct from Lima, where connection is secured with the monster refinery owned by a company referred to. This refinery, considered the largest plant in the country and while Lima is a great shipping point the company feels at an outlet into the great lakes is necessary for its refined and crude oil. There will be extensive dredging work so that the plant will be entirely independent of the government canal work.

Toledo will thus become the terminal of a line of steamers of which the majority will ply between this city and Duluth. In addition there will be a large business in shipping crude oil to such plants as find it an economic fuel for power.

## THE MARKET.

With Lima...  
Lima...  
Lima...  
Lima...

## SECRET ORDERS.

Shawnee Commandery Installs Officers. Royal Arcanum Initiation

The officers of the Shawnee Commandery No. 14, that were elected to serve the ensuing year were installed last evening. Work in the Temple was done after the installation. Thos. Mulrond being the candidate. The Criterion Council No. 162, of the Royal Arcanum, last evening introduced into the secret mysteries of their order two candidates, Dr. D. J. Sullivan and Leon Loewenstein.

Suits made to order from \$13 up by H. Keiffer, 125 E. Wayne St. w 12-15

## After December 1st

Gale will occupy the store south of Burnett House formerly occupied by J. W. Rowlands. m w 12-15

Thanksgiving Attractions at the Opera House.

The German dialect singing ceme-lan, J. E. Toole, will be the attraction at the opera house Thursday afternoon and evening. Matinee—Killarney and the Rhine. Prices: lower floor 50 cts., balcony 25 cts. evening—“The Gypsy German.” Prices: Orchestra 75c, Parquette and balcony 50c. Reserved seats on sale at Melville's.

## Will Sell My Stock

ed fixtures for cash or trade for city property. Chas. Remillet, 306 north Main street, Metropolitan block. 23-5

## The Best Whiskey

or medicinal purposes and family use for sale by D. F. McCarthy, corner Pearl and Jackson streets. m w 11-17

## A Notable Engagement.

The announcement of the appearance of Mr. Herbert Kelley and Miss Elsie Shannon at the Opera House Tuesday evening will be a source of delight to all who appreciate and enjoy an artistic performance. These well known favorites are supported by Mr. W. J. LeMoine and a company selected from the very best talent from New York stock companies. They play but three of the smaller cities in Ohio, Youngstown, Lima and Dayton.

For Coughs, Colds and Lung Troubles take Rock Candy and Pure Rye Whiskey, at the California Wine Co. 101st

## Call New Phone

For the only place to store goods—the city storage house. All goods itemized and stored separately. 131st E. Strickman, Proprietor.

For Coughs, Colds and Lung Troubles take Rock Candy and Pure Rye Whiskey, at the California Wine Co. 101st

Special prices in Ladies' Furnishings and Millinery at Mrs. F. Light's. 614

## TALES OF THE TOWN.

Mrs. Clarence Price will give a Thanksgiving dinner to her immediate relatives.

Henry Richards the popular dispenser of mixed drinks, has accepted a position with M. H. Woolweaver, 72 public square.

Mrs. B. G. DeVoe received word from Cairo, Mich., this morning, announcing the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Harris, of that city.

Deputy clerk M. J. Sullivan donned his hunting suit yesterday morning and went to Delphi, where he joined a party of hunters who went out for a couple of days' sport among the quails.

B. Biracree, of 656 south Metcalf street, desires to publicly thank his good neighbors and the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Knights of St. John, who so kindly lent assistance during the recent serious illness of his wife.

The success of the vandeville entertainment given by the local lodge of Elks has been heralded all over the country, and applications have been received from Marion and Cleveland lodges, asking the boys to come and repeat it before each of these lodges.

Tiffin lodge of Elks has honored Lima lodge by asking that a member of the local lodge be sent to Tiffin to deliver the memorial day address. Brother W. B. Riche has consented, and that he will add credit to himself and his own lodge goes without saying.

President Lehr, of the Ohio Normal University, states that only three pharmacy students were up for drunkenness and that only one student was expelled for that offense. It is hoped that the faculty of the university will be able to modify the report still further and that students at Ada will hereafter govern themselves in a manner in keeping with the dignity of the institution they represent.

## DIPHTHERIA CASES.

Six New Ones Reported to the Health Authorities.

Two new cases of diphtheria have been reported to health officer Lau deck. One new case is at the home of J. J. O'Connor, 459 north McDonell street, and the other is at the residence of Patrick Doyle, 531 north West street.

## FOUR MORE NEW ONES.

Since the cases mentioned above were reported four others have developed—one at the residence of Joseph Goble, west Wayne street, one at the S. S. Dingledine residence, 211 west Eureka street, and two cases at the residence of Dennis McGrath on north West street. A number of persons have been exposed to the two latter cases.

Ladies' capes, jackets and collarettes made and repaired by McDonald & Winkler, southwest cor. of square. Keller blk 4-36

## G. F. Bryan

Having dissolved partnership with M. L. Becker, has moved his law office to room No. 6 in Holmes block. 28-12

## Dr. James Hedley.

Nov. 30, Star Course.

Northwestern Ohio Teachers' Ass'n. Lima, Ohio, November 26th and 27th

For the above occasion, agents of the C. H. & D. Ry. north of Troy and Ludlow Falls will make a rate of one and one third fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold November 25th and 26th, good returning until November 28th, inclusive. 2-46

Van DeGrift's photo gallery will be open all Thanksgiving Day. 1t

## Closing Out at Cost

I will close out my entire stock of turkeys and chickens to-morrow between the hours of 11 and 1:30 o'clock. At Home Restaurant, 134 west High street, opposite post office.

## A Blessing For the Ladies.

Thousands of ladies are using Brazil Balm. For soreness, pain, bearing down and many kinds of trouble, it acts like a charm. A 50 cent or dollar bottle often does more good in one week than any other remedy does in months. It goes right to the spot, removing all inflammation. Mrs. Geo. W. Roberts, of Wilmington, Del., says, "A strong solution of Brazil Balm and warm water used as an injection has done me more good than all the remedies and prescriptions I have tried."

## Dr. James Hedley.

Nov. 30, Star Course.

## Chas. Tucker Repairs

All kinds of watches and jewelry at Vorkamp's drug store. 231st

King's will serve fine dinner Thanksgiving for 35c. 1t

## Dr. Hedley

Never disappoints in his lecture. November 30th.

Get your clothes cleaned and repaired at C. H. Keiffer's, 125 E. Wayne St. w 12-15

## A SMALL FIRE.

Fire Department Called to the C. H. & D. Freight House.

Fire was discovered in the office of the C. H. & D. freight depot last evening about 1:30 and an alarm sent to from box 24. The department responded quickly. Entrance into the office was made through a window. The fire in front of the stove was discovered on fire. A bucket of water quickly extinguished the fire. The fire was caused by a burning coal dropping out of an open stove.

## NIGHT SCHOOL.

A Large Class of Pupils Attending the Evening School at Lima Business College.

Quite a large number of young men and women are availing themselves of the advantage afforded in the classes in bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting, arithmetic, grammar, etc., held nightly at Lima Business College. The night students occupy the nicely furnished rooms of the college, and the course is practically the same as that given in the regular day course. The rooms are lighted by the Wallbach lamps, making a soft, brilliant light for study. Tuition, \$2 to \$3 per month. 1t

## SECRET SESSION FRIDAY.

Circuit Court will Probably Render Decisions Saturday—Other Court Notes.

The circuit court will adjourn this evening until Friday, when they will convene again, but will more than likely hold a secret session to consider the cases which have been heard. Several cases were argued to day. The court will be unable to hear all the cases that were set for this term. Many attorneys are complaining that such little time is given by the circuit court to each county. The district is entirely too large for court.

## CASE DISMISSED.

The case of R. W. Melly, administrator of L. M. Melly, deceased, vs Geo. H. Melly et al., was dismissed at the order of the plaintiff.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

William H. Ertell and Cora G. Wright. S. A. Lytle and Clyddy Carr. A. J. Gustison and Mattie C. Herling. Oliver P. Logan and Maude Best. Frank C. Aab and Alta Hammond, of Spencerville.

## TO EXAMINE COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

John W. Roby and John N. Hutchison, together with the prosecuting attorney, have been appointed by the court to examine the commissioners' report.

Carbonette Photos, at Fenner Bros. make handsome holiday presents. tu w s

Bowers's Thanksgiving dinner will be served from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m. Price 35c

Van DeGrift's photo gallery will be open all Thanksgiving Day. 1t

## Street Cars

will run to cemetery to-morrow (Thanksgiving) morning and afternoon, from 8:30 a. m. until 6 p. m. 1

## Hedley.

"Sunny Side of Life," Nov. 30th.

## We Wish to Draw

the ladies' attention to the fact that J. H. Keiffer has opened a Ladies' Tailoring Establishment, at 125 east Wayne street. w s 34-2w

Fenner Bros. Gallery will be open all Thanksgiving Day. tu w s

## Perhaps Faith Did It.

Miss Anne Harper, of one of the most prominent families of Randolph county, Ga., recently recovered the sight of one of her eyes. She is a schoolteacher and was recently forced to go to Atlanta.

She claims to have regained her health by faith cure at the home of Mrs. J. W. Vaughn. After she recovered she decided to try to regain the sight of one of her eyes. Mrs. Vaughn prayed for her, while friends joined in Miss Harper says she felt a sensation like an electric current in her eyes and through her entire body. She wanted to test her eye at once, but was restrained but the next morning she closed her good eye, and, to her joy, found that she could see plainly with the other one. Miss Harper's eyes look perfectly natural, and it cannot be detected that there has ever been anything wrong with one of them.—Cincinnati Enquirer

For Fall and Winter Suits and Overcoats call on Walther's, The Tailor, 406 N. Main St. t h 1 s

Beautiful Flowers for Thanksgiving At Mrs. E. E. Rogers', 104 W. Market 6-3

Call, Will, and... 23-5

## General Turr and the Neapolitans.

"Did you have any difficulty with the Neapolitans?" I asked. "None," said Turr. "The following episode will give you an idea of our relations: Demonstrations were the order of the day. I had only been governor of Naples two days when, looking out of my windows at the Palazzo Forestaria, I saw an immense crowd of about 10,000 persons coming along shouting, 'Death to the Bourbons!' I sent out to invite three of the ringleaders to confer with me as to what they wanted and what it was all about. One of them was Gambardella, a great leader among the fishermen, who informed me that they wanted 400 Bourbons whose names he had down in a list and handed to me (scarcely). I said: 'Gentlemen, pray sit down and let us discuss the question. Now what do you think Europe would say when it hears that under the government of Garibaldi and Gambardella 400 Bourbons have been killed?' " "But, my lord general," says he, 'do you not know the way in which we have been treated? I myself have been in prison and received 25 blows with a stick.' " "Why, my friend," I said, 'that is the very point. For having committed such like brutalities the government of the Bourbons has fallen. And if we imitated their example all we should prove is that we ourselves are unworthy of liberty.' With these and similar words I succeeded in soothing their rage and from that moment Gambardella placed himself at the head of a new movement—in those days every one had to be at the head of some movement—and was in the habit of making me his counselor and acting according to my advice. Garibaldi got to know him later and liked him very much. But one morning the poor man was stabbed in the street."—Contemporary Review.

## Proud of the Capital.

The people of the country are fond of their capital. More than the Washingtonians themselves, they have seen the wonderful progress of Washington, for by visits at intervals, some of them extending over years, they have met with some contrasts which tell the story to the spectator more thoroughly than constant living in the city could do. In different parts of the country we have heard people discuss the growth of Washington with pride and relate the comparisons of their various visits. The man who was there 10 or 20 years ago and who goes again this year takes a tale back home which he never tires of telling.

And not only will Washington have no rival in the sense of competition, but it is destined to be beautiful beyond any other city or any other capital in the world. What has been done is simply an earnest of what is to come. It will be the capital of society as well as politics. Art and education will follow, and already it is a fact that more learned and authoritative men can be gathered in an audience in that city than anywhere else in the country. In fact, Baltimore is glad to be so near Washington.

## The Fullness of Country Life.

In the country every morning of the year brings with it a new aspect of springing or fading nature, a new duty to be fulfilled upon earth and a new promise or warning in heaven. No day is without its innocent hope, its special prudence, its kindly gift and its sublime danger and in every process of wise husbandry and every effort of contending or remedial courage. The wholesome passions, pride and bodily power of the laborer are excited and exerted in happiest union. The companionship of domestic and the care of serviceable animals soften and enlarge his life with lowly charities and discipline him in familiar wisdoms and unobtrusive fortitudes, while the divine laws of seed-time, which cannot be recalled, harvest.

which cannot be hastened, and which in which no man can work, compel the impatience and coveting of his heart into labor too submissive to be anxious and rest too sweet to be wanton.—John Ruskin

## The House of a Genius.

Beethoven was born in a small house in Bonn. His father had inherited the vice of drinking, and often Beethoven and his younger brother were obliged to take their intoxicated father home. He was never known to utter an unkind word about the man who had made his youth so unhappy, and he never failed to resent it when a third person spoke uncharitably of his father's frailty.

Young Beethoven was thus taught many a severe lesson in the hard school of adversity. But his trials were not without advantage to him. They gave to his character that iron texture which upheld him under his heaviest burdens.

## Interesting Information.

"The reason they make so much fuss over my birthday," explained Kitty to the young man in the parlor who was waiting for somebody else, "is that I've only had six. Sister's had 32, and she's so used to 'em she don't even mention 'em. How many birthdays have you had, Mr. Spoonamore?"—Chicago Tribune.

The Canadian department of agriculture estimates the population of the Dominion to be 5,125,438, a gain of rather less than 300,000 since the census of 1891. In 1890 there were two states of the Union that exceeded Canada in population—New York, with 5,997,858 inhabitants, and Pennsylvania, with 5,258,014.

## WANTED

FOR RENT—A house of five rooms, with plenty of good water. Call at Walther's grocery, 447 north Main street. 3-35

FOR RENT—Cellar. Very cheap. Dry and will not freeze. Entrance rear of front. 211 south Main st. 2-35

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Good wages. Apply at 735 west High st. 2-35

WANTED—Experienced dining room girl. Good wages. Apply at once, Hotel Ombroge.

MONEY—Plenty of it to loan on real estate. Monthly payment plan. Ask at Bowers 111 east 6th 48 and 49 Opera House blk

FOR RENT—Seven room house, cottage, nicely located, 164 west High street. Vacant December 1st. Rent \$15 per month. Call at Porter & Sons Music Store, south Main street. 1-35

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\$100 PER MONTH to represent us and tack up signs. Enclose ac. Blank Bros., South Bend, Ind.

FOR SALE—Good driving horse, buggy and cart and harness. Will sell cheap. Call at 611 north McDougle st.

FOR RENT—E. H. Hotel, 128 east Wayne street. Enquire at 630 west Wayne.

WANTED—To buy a five or six room house. Call on B. B. Hurley, room 1, Collins block. 1-35

WANTED—Men in or near Lima to act as private detectives under instructions. Experience unnecessary. Address: Oliver Detective Agency, Indianapolis, Ind. Nov 11 2m

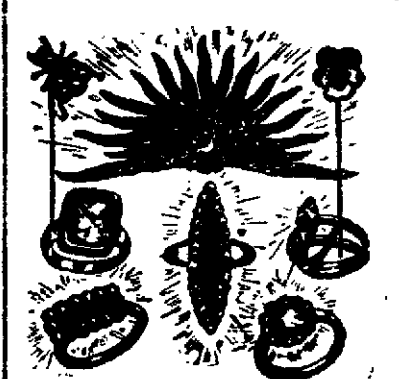
FOR SALE OR TRADE—A new ten-room house now under completion on Spring street, below Collet street. Bath room; natural and artificial gas; large basement; will sell or trade for city property. Call on or address John B. Evans, contractor and builder, 253 south Pine street. a w s

WANTED CLOTHING—Highest price paid for all kinds of second hand clothing. Money loaned on personal property, watches, bicycles and all kinds of musical instruments. Bargains in second hand goods. 111 east Wayne street, Lawie Block. 9-17

WANTED—A resident of Lima for district manager for a secret order that has 100,000 reserve fund 4,000 members, averaged three assessments per year for past three years, pays \$2.00 a week, (\$200 per year after the age of 70, \$500 for loss of limb, \$1,000 for loss of eyesight, state age, height, weight, married or single, where educated, occupation for past five years, and reference. Address Francis I. McKenna, Columbus, Ohio. 4-21

## Van De Grift's PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY

You can get the latest style mountings and the best work. Photographs are always an acceptable Christmas present to your friends. 56 1/2 Public Square



## THERE IS A

Marked change in jewelry within the past few years. Never have designs been so exquisite and so various, and prices were never so reasonable. Diamonds were at one time a luxury—now it is uncommon to see any woman without one. We have a most complete stock of rings, pins, sunbursts, etc.

These lovely Diamond Rings for \$5.00, \$8.00, \$10.00 and upwards are the best values ever offered.

## ADOLPH FOX,

The Leading Jeweler,

224 N. Main St.

Agent for Libbey Glass and Rookwood Pottery.

## NEW GROCERY!

At 321 West Spring St., Old Furniture Warehouse.

## E. H. JOHNS &amp; SON

Having opened a GROCERY and FRESH STORE, invite all their old friends and the public generally to call and see them. They intend keeping a line of Fine Goods and will sell as low as the market will afford.

We invite all good Butter Makers to bring in their produce and get the highest market price.

Phone 431. E. H. JOHNS & SON.

## OUR MEN'S \$3.00 SHOES

Contain more merit and value than ever before found in a Shoe at or near this price. Workmanship equal to any Shoe made. Style the newest the market affords. Comfort all that can be obtained. The service they render will justify you buying the second pair. They are the productions of the best manufacturers in this country, and we challenge comparison with any Shoe offered anywhere. We are showing the best Shoe ever produced for \$3.00. See them at

## GOODING'S,

230 NORTH MAIN STREET.



# Metellus Thomson's New Store

Will Be Closed All Day To-Morrow.

Special price reductions will be offered for Friday and Saturday as follows:

**All Trimmed Hats**  
In our Millinery Department at **One-Half Price**

**Dress Goods.**  
Seasonable up-to-date desirable Dress Goods at unprecedentedly low prices. Each lot seems to be better value than the others.

**38 Inch Novelty Sitting.**  
Unmatchable below 75 cents. yet they're here in fifteen distinct combinations at **59 Cents.**

Beautiful and attractive **French Novelties.**  
40 and 50 inch French Novelty Dress Goods. You can't get it elsewhere - yes, at \$1.00. Our price this week, **75 Cents**

**All Wool and Silk Mixed Dress Goods.**  
Ten distinct lines of \$1.25 qualities this week for **98 Cents**

**New Velvet Waists**  
Received. Colors—red, blue, green and black. Special price Friday and Saturday, **\$2.98**  
Friday and Saturday prices, only.

**Children's Hygienic Waists,**  
Worth 25 cents. Special price **15 Cents.**

**Aluminium Thimbles,**  
Worth 10 cents, special price, **2 Cents.**

**\$1.00 Kid Gloves,**  
All shades and black. Friday and Saturday only, **69 Cents.**

**Knitting Silk**  
**10c a Spool.**

See our **Ladies' Ribbed Underwear for 25 Cents.**

See our **Men's Fleece Underwear for 50 Cents.**

Both big special values.

# Metellus Thomson

**Dry Goods Company.**

233-235 North Main Street.

LIMA, O.

## STOLEN TOBACCO.

Three Caddies Found in the C. & E. Yards Last Evening.

WHERE DOES IT BELONG?

Supposed to Have Been Thrown From a Car in a Through Freight Train—Two Negroes Arrested—Other Police News.

About 4:30 o'clock last evening, yardmaster H. J. Jury and switchman Charles Potter, of the C. & E., found three full caddies of star chewing tobacco in the C. & E. yards. The boxes when found were lying on the south side of the main track near the main entrance to the Solar refinery grounds, and were scattered along beside the main track in a manner indicating that they had been thrown from a train while in motion.

Yardmaster Jury notified the police of his discovery and took the tobacco to the freight house to be held until it is ascertained, if possible, where it belongs. It is supposed that the tobacco was stolen from a freight car in a through freight train and that the thieves either failed to get off the train after they had thrown it off or failed to recover possession of it for fear of being detected in the act by employees who were at work in the yards. Supt. Reynolds, of the C. & E., was notified at Huntington and unless the car from which the tobacco was stolen was set off at some intermediate station the officials of the road may be able to immediately locate the shipment to which the three caddies belong.

**ALLISON ON THE TRAIL.**  
Joe Allison, of the livery firm of Johnson and Allison, is still absent from the city in search of the man who disappeared with a rig from their barn Saturday. He traced the fellow to Bellefontaine, but when last heard from had not yet located the objects of his search.

**AT THE STATION.**  
The police are looking for an overcoat that was stolen from a young man at Jeff Murray's saloon on east Market street last evening. Patrolman Conway arrested Harry Jordan and William Myers, both transient printers, at 10:20 o'clock last night, for begging on the street.

**ABOUT PEOPLE.**  
**Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going.**

A. A. Scott is in Toledo to-day.

E. H. Miller, of Jackson, is in the city.

Mrs. S. Craig is visiting friends at Troy.

Frank Saxter was at Toledo last evening.

Jacob Driver went to Dupont this morning.

Attorney Bolcom, of Delphos, is in the city.

Frank Reck will go to Ft. Wayne to-morrow.

Sol Wiesensthal was at Wapakoneta last night.

John O'Connor went to Leipsic this morning.

Chas. Mooney was in Wapakoneta last evening.

Attorney Beeve, of Delphos, is in the city to-day.

O. W. Flemming, of East Liverpool, is in the city.

E. H. Gardner and wife, of Chicago, are in the city.

W. H. McGuire attended the opera at Toledo last evening.

Mr. Maple, of Columbus Grove, was in the city last evening.

G. B. Matteson left this morning to work in the Indiana oil fields.

John Moore, wife and children will spend their Thanksgiving at Dayton.

J. Frank Miller will spend Thanksgiving with his mother at Columbus.

Misses Daisy Britt and Elsie Wise will spend Thanksgiving in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Light will spend Thanksgiving at Columbus Grove.

W. J. Case and wife, of Rochester, N. Y., are stopping at the Cambridge house.

Miss Hoffman, of Ottawa, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Leste, of north Baxton street.

J. W. VanDyke left this morning, over the P., Ft. W. & C. road, for New York.

Mrs. P. L. Bouzer, of east North street, is visiting friends at Appleton City.

E. S. Ward and Geo. E. Moore, of Toledo, are stopping at the Cambridge house.

A. T. Hardull left this afternoon for Toledo to spend Thanksgiving with his parents.

Elmer Collier and Mrs. D. Collier went to Lima this morning to visit their relatives.—Edward Noonan, of Lima, and district superintendent of

the Prudential Insurance Co., is in the city.—Kenyon Republican.

Dr. A. L. Jones will spend Thanksgiving with relatives at Ft. Wayne. Mrs. Fred Agterter and Miss Martha Agterter left for Oxford this afternoon.

Mrs. P. E. Golden and daughter left this morning for Springfield to spend Thanksgiving.

Sheriff-elect E. A. Bogart was in the city this morning shaking hands with his many friends.

Mrs. J. Halle, of Cleveland, will spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Albert Koch, of the Lima House.

Mrs. A. L. Ross, of Flemingsburg, Ky., is visiting her sister, aunt Jane Maguire, of west High street.

Mrs. Dr. D. Summers, of Shelby, O., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. S. Flinck, of west Elm street.

Miss Rose Newman within a few days will return with Mrs. Halle to spend a few weeks in Cleveland.

J. W. Harness, representing the Deering Harvesting Manufacturing Company, of Milwaukee, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nordlinger, accompanied by Miss Etta Goldsmith, have returned to their home in Philadelphia.

A party of ten prominent young people of this city will spend Thanksgiving at Ada, the guests of Miss Irene Freely.

F. C. Partello and daughter, Miss Lella, of Toledo, are the guests of his mother, Mrs. S. W. Partello, of north Jackson street.

Samuel Motter, of St. Joseph, Mo., came down from Ann Arbor yesterday to spend Thanksgiving with his uncle, Isaac Motter.

The Drs. Steiner went to Bluffton this afternoon to attend the marriage of their brother, Mr. Eli Steiner, who weds Miss Clara Ludwig.

Wm. H. Estill, of Marshall, Mich., and Miss Cora G. Wright, of Van Wert, were married by O. A. Hill at his residence last evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The wife of T. J. Corning, formerly of this city, died at Bloomington, Ill. Mr. Corning intends to return to Lima within a few days to make his home.

Samuel Hanway, of Indianapolis, the son in law of Mr. A. L. Richmond, died last night. Mr. and Mrs. Richmond left this afternoon to attend the funeral.

R. H. O'cott is registered at the Hoffman House as being from Calamus, Mich. Mr. Akers has strained his eyes trying to find such a town on the map of Michigan.

Miss Orah Murphy, of Van Wert, and Miss Tralie Lante, of Delphos, returned last evening to their respective homes after a pleasant visit with the Misses Sullivan, of west Wayne street.

## THANKSGIVING DAY.

How and Where It May be Observed by Church Goers.

Main Services at the Market Street Presbyterian Church.

"Give thanks unto the Lord; call upon His name: make known His deeds among all people."

Thanksgiving day will be observed at the several different churches to-morrow, and the following is the programme for union services to be held at the Market street Presbyterian Church, commencing at 10 o'clock in the morning:

Invocation closing with the Lord's Prayer; the congregation joining.

Singing—Hymn 93, "O God, Be with Thy Guiding Hand."

Reading—Psalm 118.

Anthem—"O Lord, Our God, Arise!"

Prayer—Rev. J. C. Miller.

Antiphon—Choral Union Choir.

Offering for the Lima City Hospital.

Singing—"My Country, 'Tis of Thee."

Benediction.

**CHRIST CHURCH.**

Divine service to-morrow (Thanksgiving Day) at 10 a. m. Subject, "Patriotic Citizenship, or Washington as a Man of God." Choir of twenty voices present. All welcome.

O. B. CHAWFORD, Rector.

Chicago Candy Kitchen, cor. Main and Wayne, open all day to-morrow.

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AND THE COAL RATE WAR

Between the D. & L. N. and the Coal Traffic Association it is to be Anticipated—Ten Miles of Track Yet to be Built.

To all appearances the most friendly relations have been established between the Vanderbilt companies and the Detroit & Lima Northern. This fact was evidenced by the recent agreement by which the Lake Shore agreed to sell to the D. & L. N. the Dundee division of the former line's tracks. The Lake Shore, it will be remembered, had been the owner of the line extending from Trenton, Michigan, to Dundee, a distance of twenty-seven miles. It was to the interest of the D. & L. N. to buy this line, if practicable, as otherwise a parallel road would have been necessary. Several conferences on the subject of the purchase were held by president Callaway, of the Lake Shore, and president Ledyard, of the Michigan Central, with the result as indicated in dispatches recently published by the Toledo Bee. It remains for the D. & L. N. to complete ten miles of track along the Detroit river front in order to have its own line in full operation.

With the establishment of the close friendly relationship between the two Vanderbilt lines and the D. & L. N. it now remains to be seen what the effect will be on the situation as regards the transportation of coal from the Ohio fields. It has been claimed for some time that the D. & L. N. was giving the Coal Traffic Association no end of trouble on account of alleged rate cutting. The statements regarding this matter have in all probability been greatly exaggerated, but there has no doubt been enough of the rate cutting to keep the traffic association in a constant state of turmoil. It is thought now that in view of the new and friendly alliance there will be an amicable adjustment of the difficulty and that little or nothing more will be heard of the trouble regarding coal rates to the northwest and Detroit districts. In the meantime the D. & L. N. is keeping its rails hot transporting vast quantities of coal to the territory named.

**A D. & L. N. ACQUISITION.**

A quit claim deed has been filed with the registrar of deeds at Detroit from the Detroit & Chicago Railroad Company to the Detroit & Lima Northern, covering twenty-seven miles of railroad and the appurtenances as well as of the right of way of the Ann Arbor Railroad Company, from Chandler to Dundee, Mich. General manager Megraw says this is the completion of the purchase of the Fayette branch recently described in the Bee.—Toledo Bee

**FOURTY CARS OF LUMBER.**

The C. H. & D. this morning had a special train of 40 cars of lumber from Cincinnati to Toledo. The shipment came from one of the southern forests and was billed for Albany, N. Y. The timber was ash and was all sawed. The train was a special one and was run through on quick time.

**NOTES.**

The C. H. & D. continues to do a big freight business.

The Pennsylvania freight office will be closed to-morrow on account of Thanksgiving.

Chief clerk O'Connor, of the C. H. & D. superintendent's office, returned yesterday from Cincinnati.

Superintendent Floeter returned last night from a trip to Cincinnati, where he had been arranging the new time card.

Wm. Stamp, who recently sold his grocery at 609 north Main street, has taken a position as an engineer on the L. E. & W. He formerly ran an engine on the C. H. & D.

The Indiana, Decatur & Western shops are so crowded with work that an extra force of men has been put on. This is due mainly to improve ments being made on C. H. & D. equipment.

The Pennsylvania, it is said, is buying many acres of added land and will in the spring begin to add the sloping sides of cuts in order to prevent dust and to beautify the road. Country roads adjoining grade crossings will be macadamized to obviate the clouds of dust usually raised by passing trains.

Dispatchers Bissell and Scott, of the L. E. & W., and Simon Sperry went to Celina on train 3 this morning on a hunting expedition. Dispatcher Brown got a message from them at 9 o'clock stating that Sperry had secured seven mud hens; that Scott had blown the gable and off of a barn near Celina, but had touched nothing else with about 40 shots, and that they had been forced to come in to warm up. Bissell thought he would be able to land a tame goose he had sighted near the reservoir.

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An evening of pleasure Y. M. C. A. Star Course.

**Household Goods and Pianos**

Moved in the most careful manner. Storage of all kinds solicited by City Storage House. Call new phone.

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**Do Not Forget**

the ball to be given by the German Society, in Klans Hall, Thanksgiving evening, November 25.

Hadley.

"Sunny Side of Life," Nov. 30th

A 16x20 frame for \$1.25 at Pease Bros., and a crayon and frame for \$2.00. No traveling agent can compete with our prices.

**King's will serve fine dinner Thanksgiving for 35c, 1c**

**Stop! Stop in and See.**

Well, you missed that sermon last night which you very much needed. The evangelist, Hunter, will preach on most important subjects the rest of this week. To-night he will throw light on "The Unpardonable Sin." Friday night, the subject that is more misunderstood than any other is biblically lore, namely, "Baptism." Don't forget the place, Main Street Church of Christ. Come and bring your friends with you.

**National Union.**

Ottawa Council meets to-night at 7:30 in the Dundee block.

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Mrs. L. E. STAMETS, West Spring street.

**FISH.**

**FISH A LA CREME**—Cook four pounds of fish in boiling salted water, with one tablespoonful of vinegar, until flesh separates easily. Drain; when cool pick in flakes, remove all skin and bones and season well with salt and pepper. Place in baking dish layer of fish and then layer of rich white sauce, then fish, then sauce, and cover top with one cup of cracker crumbs which have been moistened with one-third cup of melted butter. Three tablespoonfuls of cheese may be added to the crumbs if desired. Place in oven until nicely browned, then garnish with parsley.

Mrs. WM. MACKENZIE, West Market street.

**OYSTER PIE**—For each person make one small pie, using a pan about the size of a coffee saucer. Cover bottom and sides of pan with good pastry, then place six selected oysters on this and season with a little salt, a good deal of pepper and butter. Then cover with an egg batter, then place cover of pastry on each pie, piercing each cover with fork. Bake in quick oven ten minutes.

Mrs. Ed. CHRISTIAN, East Market street.

**STRAWED BROWN BREAD.**

Two teaspoons graham flour, two teaspoons yellow corn meal, one cup New Orleans molasses, three cups sugar, one teaspoon salt, three level teaspoons of soda. This makes five one-pound baking powder cake full. Steam two hours.

Mrs. F. DRAKE, Colfax street.

**OMELET SOUFFLE.**

Five eggs, whites beaten stiff then add the yolks and beat again then add white sauce made of two tablespoonfuls of flour, two of butter, melted, and one pint of cream. Stir until smooth and pour over the beaten eggs in a baking dish and bake fifteen minutes. Serve at once to prevent falling.

MISS BELLE HUGHES

**RABBIT PIE.**

Cook rabbit until tender, then season well with salt and pepper and place in pan which is lined with this crust:

One quart of flour, three teaspoonfuls of baking powder, and one teaspoon of salt. Sift together. Add two tablespoonfuls of shortening, then one pint of sweet milk; roll out one half inch thick and place in pan, then the rabbit, then chopped celery, then potatoes which have been cooked until tender and well seasoned with butter and salt, then some small pieces of the dough, then one pint of hot water, then the upper crust. Bake until bottom crust is done; about twenty-five minutes.

Mrs. ADAM SIMONS, East Kirby street.

**ESCALLOPED CORN.**

Place one layer of fresh or canned corn in the bottom of baking dish, season well with butter, salt and pepper, then put layer of cracker crumbs, and do this until pan is almost full, crackers on top with butter over them; then pour on enough hot milk to cover all, and bake in a rather slow oven forty-five minutes.

**THE EPICUREAN COOKING CLUB.**

**SALADS.**

**RED VEGETABLE SALAD**—1 pint cold boiled potatoes cut in dice, 1 pint red beets cut in dice, 1 pint red cabbage cut fine, 1 pint celery cut fine, 4 tablespoonfuls vinegar, 2 teaspoonfuls salt, pepper to taste; over this pour one cup of mayonnaise dressing and mix well.

Mrs. ALEXANDER MACDONELL, West North street.

**FOR THE INVALID'S TRAY.**

**SCRAPED BEEF**—Is one of the best dishes that can be prepared for old or young, sick or well. Get good round steak cut very thick, spread it on a meat board and with a sharp knife scrape the best of the beef in soft loose mass until nothing remains but

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